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SUBJECT: MINTOFF STATEMENT ON MEETING WITH HEATH

REF: VALLETTA 2174

1. PARLIAMENTARY STATEMENT NOV 12, MINTOFF

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ANNOUNCED THAT DURING HIS ONE HOUR MEETING WITH HEATH

NOV 11 "AGREEMENT WAS REACHED ON NEW APPROACH BY HMG
ON THE PRINCIPAL ISSUES, AND MORE INFORMATION WILL BE
SENT TO GOM LATER."

2. MINTOFF SAID THAT THE MEETING WAS HELD IN AN
ATMOSPHERE "OF THE GREATEST FRIENDSHIP, AND IT WAS
EVIDENT THAT GOODWILL WAS NOT LACKING ON BOTH SIDES".

3. HE THEN ANNOUNCED DEPARTURE OF GOVGEN AND LADY
MAMO TO ATTEND THE ROYAL WEDDING, AND MADE ANOTHER
STATEMENT SOCIALIST INTERNATIONAL MEETING (SEPTEL.)
AT CONCLUSION OF MINTOFF'S ADDRESS THERE WERE CHEERS
FROM GOVERNMENT BENCHES (PROBABLY DIRECTED MORE TO
STATEMENT ON HEATH MEETING THAN ONE ON S.I.
MEETING.

4. IN RESPONSE TO OPPOSITION M.P.'S REQUEST FOR
MORE INFORMATION, MINTOFF SAID HE WOULD HAVE GIVEN
MORE DETAILS, BUT "ALL THERE IS SO FAR IS A PROMISE
OF A NEW APPROACH."
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